



In re Application of:

HIROYUKI INOUE, ET AL.

Application No.: 08/796,519

Filed: February 7, 1997

For: INK CONTAINER FOR INK JET PRINTING,
HOLDER FOR THE CONTAINER, CARRIAGE
FOR THE HOLDER AND INK JET PRINTER

Docket No.

00684.002213.1

Examiner: C. Hallacher

Group Art Unit: 2853

Date: December 31, 2002

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COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 32	MINUS	** 127	= 0	x \$9 \$18	- 0 -
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 2	MINUS	*** 10	= 0	x \$42 \$84	- 0 -
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$140°/\$280						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						- 0 -

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☐ Charge \$____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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☒ A check in the amount of \$ 920.00 to cover the fee for a three month extension is enclosed.

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☒ Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa office by telephone at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 1, 2002, the period for response to which having been extended to January 1, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 43 to 57, 60, 65, 68 to 70, 72 to 101, 116 to 133, 149 to 153, 157, 177 to 179 and 181 to 206 without prejudice or disclaimer of subject matter.

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